

## INTERFERENCE DIGEST

Interference No. 105,548

Paper No.

Name: Jonathan D. Buckley et al.

Serial No.: 09/270,461

Patent No.

Title: Electromechanical safety system for a firearm

Filed: 03/15/99

Interference with Fuchs

### DECISION ON MOTIONS

Administrative Patent Judge, \_\_\_\_\_ Dated, \_\_\_\_\_

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### FINAL DECISION

Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences, \_\_\_\_\_ Dated, \_\_\_\_\_

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Court, \_\_\_\_\_ Dated, \_\_\_\_\_

### REMARKS

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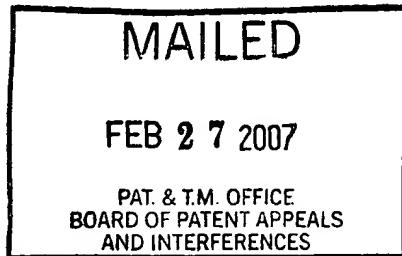
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Applicants: BUCKLEY  
Application No.: 09/270,461  
Filed: 03/15/99  
For: Electromechanical safety system for a firearm

The above-identified application or patent has been forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences because it is adjudged to interfere with another application or patent. An interference has been declared. The interference is designated as No. 105,548.

Notice is hereby given the parties of the requirement of the law for filing in the Patent and Trademark Office a copy of any agreement "in connection with or in contemplation of the termination of the interference." 35 U.S.C. § 135(c).

/Sally C. Medley/  
SALLY C. MEDLEY  
Administrative Patent Judge

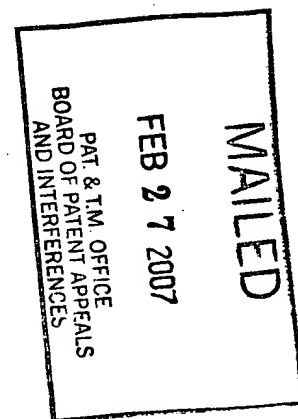
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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS  
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JONATHAN D. BUCKLEY, TONY A. HANCOCK,  
and AUSTIN D. PYLE  
Junior Party  
(Application 09/270,461),

v.  
RUDOLF FUCHS  
Senior Party  
(Patent 6,293,039).  
Patent Interference No. 105,548 (SCM)  
(Technology Center 2600)



**DECLARATION - Bd.R. 203(b)<sup>1</sup>**

**Part A. Declaration of interference**

An interference is declared (35 U.S.C. 135(a)) between the above-identified parties. Details of the application(s), patent (if any), reissue application (if any), count(s) and claims designated as corresponding or as not corresponding to the count(s) appear in Parts E and F of this DECLARATION.

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<sup>1</sup> "Bd.R. x" may be used as shorthand for "37 C.F.R. ' 41.x". 69 Fed. Reg. 49960, 49961 (12 Aug. 2004).

### **Part B. Judge managing the interference**

Administrative Patent Judge Sally C. Medley has been designated to manage the interference. Bd.R. 104(a).

### **Part C. Standing order**

A Trial Section STANDING ORDER [SO] (Paper 2) accompanies this DECLARATION. The STANDING ORDER applies to this interference.

### **Part D. Initial conference call**

A telephone conference call to discuss the interference is set for **2:00 p.m. on 24 April 2007** (the Board will initiate the call).

No later than **four business days** prior to the conference call, each party shall file and serve (SO §§ 10.1 & 105) a list of the motions (Bd.R. 120; Bd.R. 204; SO §§ 104.2.1, 120 & 204) the party intends to file.

A sample schedule for taking action during the motion phase appears as Form 2 in the STANDING ORDER. Counsel are encouraged to discuss the schedule prior to the conference call and to agree on dates for taking action. A typical motion period lasts approximately eight (8) months. Counsel should be prepared to justify any request for a shorter or longer period.

## **Part E. Identification and order of the parties**

### Junior Party

Named inventors: JONATHAN D. **BUCKLEY**, Lexington, KY  
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Involved Application: 09/270,461, filed 15 March 1999

Title: Electromechanical safety system for a firearm

Assignee: none

### Senior Party

Named Inventors: RUDOLF **FUCHS**, Thayngen, Switzerland

Involved Patent: 6,293,039 issued 25 September 2001, based on  
application 09/246,050, filed 8 February 1999

Title: Pistol with locking mechanism

Assignee: SIG Arms International AG

The senior party is assigned exhibit numbers 1001-1999. The junior party is assigned exhibit numbers 2001-2999. Bd. R. 154(c)(1); SO & 154.2.1. The senior party is responsible for initiating settlement discussions. SO & 126.1.

**Part F. Count and claims of the parties**

Count 1

Fuchs 6,293,039 claim 1

or

Buckley 09/270,461 claim 25

The claims of the parties are:

Buckley: 25-29

Fuchs: 1-19

The claims of the parties which correspond to Count 1 are:

Buckley: 25-29

Fuchs: 1-19

The claims of the parties which do not correspond to Count 1, and  
therefore are not involved in the interference, are:

Buckley: none

Fuchs: none

The parties are accorded the following benefit for Count 1:

Buckley: none

Fuchs: none

**Part G. Heading to be used on papers**

The following heading must be used on all papers filed in this interference,  
see SO & 106.1.1:

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**Part H. Order form for requesting file copies**

When requesting copies of files, use of SO Form 4 will greatly expedite  
processing of the request. Please attach a copy of Parts E and F of this  
DECLARATION with a hand-drawn circle around the patents and applications for  
which a copy of a file wrapper is requested.

/Sally C. Medley/  
Administrative Patent Judge

Enc:

Copy of STANDING ORDER  
Copy U.S. Patent 6,293,039  
Copy of claims of 09/270,461  
Copy of Appeal 2006-1668

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